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Response to Restriction Requirement and Amendment

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 8, 2010 in connection with the above-identified U.S. patent application. In light of a request for a twomonth extension of time and fee therefor enclosed herewith, response is due January 10, 2011 (since January 8, 2011 fell on a Saturday). This response, therefore, is timely filed.

A complete listing of the claims, as amended herein, begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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